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JAPANESE FLEET.

Seven Vessels Were Sighted Near Askold Island Making For Ussuri Bay.

OPENED FIRE ON VLADIVOSTOK.

Japanese Troops Are Advancing Toward Musan in Northern Korea Threatening Russian Flank.

In Order to Checkmate This Move the Russian Outposts, Which Recently Crossed the Tuman, Will Occupy Koyryong.

St. Petersburg, March 7.—A communication from Viceroy Alexieff to the czar from Mukden, bearing Sunday's date, says:

"I most humbly inform your majesty that the commandant at the fortress at Vladivostok reports that at 8:30 this morning seven vessels were sighted south of Askold island. At 9:45 they were seen to be warships making for Askold island. About noon the enemy's squadron was midway between the coast and Askold island, making for Ussuri bay. They were out of reach of the shore batteries. At 1:30 the enemy opened fire. Two vessels in the squadron were probably the first class cruisers Idzum and Yakumo, but the names of the other vessels are unknown."

Official dispatches received here concerning the bombardment of Vladivostok by a Japanese fleet Sunday afternoon do not mention any Russian losses, but previous advices say that five were killed, four sailors and the wife of an engineer. It is apparent the Japanese were afraid to risk exposing their ships to the plunging fire of the land batteries and it is considered probable here that the attack was really for the purpose of drawing the fire of the Russian forts, compelling the Russians to disclose the position and caliber of their guns and also for the purpose of ascertaining whether the Russian squadron is in port. If this was the object of the Japanese it is believed to have failed signally, as the batteries did not fire a shot and if the squadron is in port it could not be seen from the Japanese position in the Bay of Ussuri on account of the high land which rises from the coast on that side, obstructing the view of the harbor.

Advices from Vladivostok say that the 2,500 Japanese troops who landed at Plaksin bay (on the east coast of Northern Korea), are advancing toward Musan (218 miles from Gensan), with the intention of ultimately reaching Hun Chun (on the left bank of the Tumen river, about 100 miles west of Vladivostok), and threatening the Russian flank. In order to checkmate this move the Russian outposts, 1,500 strong, which recently crossed the Tumen, is advancing to occupy Koyryong, on the Tumen river, a walled city commanding the trails along which the Japanese must pass.

The wife of a naval officer gives a graphic account of the bombardment of Port Arthur, February 9, and the flight of women and children the next day. She was awakened in the middle of the night by the heavy reports of the guns and her first thought was that they were due to blasting operations at the dock yard, but when the guns of the fortress began to boom, she awoke the servants, who were terror-stricken. She then went out on the balcony and saw the searchlights wildly swirling.

The officer's wife, with an infant, took a train from Port Arthur in the morning and she describes the awful crush at the station and also at Dalny, where she learned of the fate of the Varilag at Chemulpo. Great hardships were suffered by the travelers until they reached Irkutsk, 18 days later. The trains and stations were crowded and the woman found it impossible even to lay her baby down on the floor of the car, which was covered with baggage. She says that mothers fought to get food for their children.

Direct through telegraph communication is now established between Viceroy Alexieff's headquarters at Mukden and St. Petersburg. This is believed to be the longest circuit in the world, being over 6,000 miles. whereas the direct communication between London and Teheran, a distance of only 5,000 miles, has hitherto been the longest.

London, March 7.—The correspondent of the Standard at Tien-Tsin gives a rumor that 30 Russian soldiers were caught in an attempt to escape from Port Arthur and that they were shot the same day.

Diphtheria on Board a Training Ship. San Juan, P. R., March 7.—There are four new cases of diphtheria among the apprentices on the United States training ship Monongahela. There are 17 cases now in the hospital.

THE RECTIFIERS' BILL.

The Rules of the Committee of the House May Kill It.

Frankfort, Ky., March 7.—It is understood that the senate bill known as the whisky rectifiers' bill will be choked to death in the house by parliamentary regulations. For several sessions the committee on rules has had absolute power during the last ten days of the session to call up any bill it wished and have it voted on, exclusive of any other business that individual members might desire to bring up. That rule was adopted again this session, and it is said a majority of the committee on rules is opposed to the rectifiers' bill, and will therefore decline to call it up for passage.

Speaker Brown, who is ex-officio chairman of the rules committee, is out of town, so nothing authentic could be learned about the prospects of the bill. It is almost certain that the rules committee has not taken any action as to the bill, because it has not been asked to pass on the request to call it up.

The bill provides for a tax of 50 cents on every barrel of rectified, blended or compounded whisky sold by the maker, and is the bill out of which grew the charges of "graft" and "shake down" made by some unknown rectifier in Louisville against the legislature. The bill passed the senate almost unanimously and the house committee, to which it was referred, reported unanimously in favor of its passage. The rectifiers are making a strong fight against it.

ONE MAN KILLED.

Derrick Was Too Tall to Pass Through the Tunnel.

Richmond, Ky., March 7.—William Johnson, of this city, an employee of the L. & A. railroad, was instantly killed Sunday in a wreck on that road at King's Tunnel, Estill county, and James McCoy and William and Frank Frazier were seriously injured.

The wreck occurred in a manner unique in the history of railroad disasters. The dead man and the injured were part of the crew of a work train, composed of flat cars. The train was carrying a derrick that was too tall to pass through the tunnel, but this was not known until the derrick had dislodged enough rocks and dirt to derail the train. Johnson, McCoy and Frazier were buried under the tons of debris that was precipitated by the derrick.

The injured men were brought to the hospital in this city.

Was Stabbed to Death.

Morganfield, Ky., March 7.—John Rigsby, Charles Borup and Will Irving went to a Mrs. Hellman's home in the suburbs, and while there some trouble arose, and the Hellman woman stabbed Irving just over the heart. He died about 7 o'clock, and Mrs. Hellman, Rigsby and Borup were placed under arrest. The woman acknowledges having done the cutting.

The Coal Combine's Loss.

Paducah, Ky., March 7.—From a reliable source it was learned that the loss on the river to the coal combine this winter was \$189,800, including 54 boats loaded with coal and 5 barges. The most extensive single loss was suffered by the Sprague's tow, a few days ago near Memphis, the loss being reported to be \$75,000.

A Big Oil Gusher.

Columbia, Ky., March 7.—News has reached here of a gusher brought in by the Wooster Oil and Gas Co., of Wooster, O., near Creelburg, in Cumberland county. The well is 590 feet deep, and is on the W. J. Self farm. The well, it is said, flows about 600 barrels a day.

Death Ended His Sufferings.

Newport, Ky., March 7.—The funeral of Richard H. Wagoner, who died at Speers hospital, Dayton, Ky., Friday night, after undergoing the operation of having both hands and feet amputated, took place Monday morning from the family residence, 1144 Columbia street.

New Trial Refused.

Lexington, Ky., March 7.—George Miller and his friends were disappointed at the decision of the court of appeals, which refused a rehearing of the case in which he was convicted one year ago of dealing faro, and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

Guy M. Deane Returns.

Owensboro, Ky., March 7.—Guy M. Deane, the coal operator, who was located in Waco, Tex., a few days ago after an absence of two weeks, returned to Owensboro Saturday night. He appeared in good health, but refused to make a statement.

Senator Spence's Bill.

Newport, Ky., March 7.—State Senator Spence's bill to amend the constitution so that councilmen and members of school boards may be elected by wards has passed the senate, and the senator states it will pass the house.

THE SUPPLY BILLS

They Will Be Kept to the Front in the Senate During the Week.

THE NOMINATION OF GEN. WOOD.

Postal Affairs Will Occupy the Attention of the House the Better Part of the Time.

Several Days at Least Will Be Consumed in the Disposal of the Post Office Appropriation Measure—Other Matters.

Washington, March 7.—The plans of the senate managers contemplate keeping supply bills to the front to the exclusion of other business. Consideration of the naval bill will be resumed Monday and then the army appropriation bill will be taken up. It is expected that by that time the army bill shall have been disposed of, the bill making appropriation for fortifications or that providing funds for the District of Columbia will be ready.

An effort will be made to secure consideration of the nomination of Brig. Gen. Leonard Wood to be a major general during the week and if time is found for executive sessions this matter will be given precedence. Senator Fairbanks will have charge of the contest in favor of confirmation and Senators Scott and Blackburn, of the opposition.

If the appropriation bills and the Wood case do not consume the entire time, Senator Lodge's Philippine shipping bill will be further considered. Senator Beveridge will make another attempt Thursday next to pass a number of pending Alaskan bills.

Postal affairs will occupy the attention of the house for the better part of this week. Mr. Overstreet, chairman of the committee on post offices and post roads, will call up the post office appropriation bill and it is anticipated that several days at least will be consumed in its disposition. The minority will oppose vigorously some features of the bill and will also urge a general investigation of post office affairs.

The bill will be laid aside temporarily Tuesday, as by special agreement private claims bills, which gave way last week to the Indian appropriation bill, have been made the special order or that day. Before taking up the bill the post office committee will report the Hay resolution requesting certain information regarding the use of "influence" by members of the house to secure increases of salary, etc., for postmasters. The committee will recommend that this resolution be laid upon the table.

Mr. Martin, of South Dakota, expects to request unanimous consent Monday before the appropriation bill is laid before the house for the consideration of his resolution directing the department of commerce and labor to investigate the causes for the differences which exist between the cost of live cattle and dressed beef, and on which the committee on inter-state and foreign commerce has ordered a favorable report.

Samuel A. Groff Sentenced.

Washington, March 7.—Justice Pritchard overruled the motion of Samuel A. Groff, one of the recently convicted defendants in the post office trial, and sentenced him to two years in the Moundsville penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$10,000.

Desecration of the American Flag.

San Juan, P. R., March 7.—The house has unanimously passed a bill recommended in a message from Gov. Hunt, the purpose of which is to prevent the desecration of the United States flag and the use of the black flag in Porto Rico.

Secretary to Taft.

Washington, March 7.—Frederick S. Carpenter has been appointed private secretary to Secretary Taft, succeeding Merrill O. Chance, who has been appointed chief of the supply division of the post office department.

Ex-Gov. Russell's Condition.

Baltimore, March 7.—The resident physician at Johns Hopkins hospital report that ex-Gov. Russell, of North Carolina, who is a patient at that institution, is much better, and that his condition is steadily improving.

Theater Destroyed By Fire.

Elmira, N. Y., March 7.—Fire broke out in a cigar factory under the Lyceum theater at 11:15 o'clock Sunday night and soon the entire block was a mass of flames and was destroyed. The loss is over \$118,000.

Trenton, N. J., March 7.—Elmer Durand and Henry Jones, cellmates in the state prison, engaged in a fight in their cell. Durand was stabbed to death,

EMMET ANNIVERSARY.

Sympathy For the People of Ireland the Keynote of Addresses.

Washington, March 7.—Sympathy for the people of Ireland and a declaration of hope that she soon will be free were the keynote of addresses made by the speakers at the celebration Monday night of the 126th anniversary of the birth of Robert Emmet by the United Irish societies of the District of Columbia. Among those who made speeches were Representatives Kehoe, Kentucky; Dovenor, West Virginia, and Wiley, Alabama, and Delegate Rodey, of New Mexico. Resolutions were adopted appealing to the liberty-loving people of the United States to take steps to aid in restoring to the Irish people, "allied to them by so many glorious associations in the revolutionary and civil wars the God-given right of nationhood," and for the erection of statues to Gen. John S. Sullivan and Commodore John Barry, of revolutionary war fame.

THE GILLESPIE TRIAL.

It Will Begin at Rising Sun, Ind., Monday Morning.

Rising Sun, Ind., March 7.—The trial of James Gillespie for the murder of his twin sister, Elizabeth, last November, and of his sister, Mrs. Belle Seward, and Mr. and Mrs. Myron Barbour as accessories will begin here Monday. It was thought that there would be a continuance because of the serious illness of Capt. Coles, leading counsel for the defendants, but James Gillespie, who is in jail, while the others are out on bail, has insisted on the trial proceeding and it was stated Sunday night that the counsel and other defendants will do as James requests. Congressman Griffith and other attorneys for the defense are here.

KNOCKOUT DROPS.

New York Theatrical Agent Died From Its Effects.

New York, March 7.—Leon Melles, a theatrical agent, died Sunday at his home from the supposed effects of "knockout drops." Just before he died he gave the name of a young woman with whom he had been on friendly terms for about a year, who, he said, was responsible for his condition. The attending physician said that in his opinion Melles was the victim of chloral poisoning. The police are looking for the woman. Melles, who at one time was known on the stage as Lance de Melles, returned home early Saturday morning in a dazed condition and was later seized with convulsions. An autopsy will be performed.

BRIGHAM H. ROBERTS.

He Rejoices in the Testimony Given By President Smith.

Salt Lake City, March 7.—Brigham H. Roberts, who was expelled from congress because of his polygamous practices a few years ago, declared in an address here Sunday that he rejoiced in the testimony given by President Smith before the senate committee because in this way a larger audience was reached than could be by any other means. "I see the finger of God in taking this means of putting the truth of Mormonism before the world," said Mr. Roberts. The subject of Mr. Roberts' address was "Witnesses to the Book of Mormonism."

COUNT VON WALDERSEE.

Funeral of the Late Field Marshal Will Take Place Wednesday.

Berlin, March 7.—The funeral of the late Field Marshal Count Von Waldersee, who died Saturday, will be held at noon on Wednesday. Emperor William and Empress Augusta Victoria, all the members of the house of Hohenzollern and the sovereigns of all the German states, and also many eminent persons abroad, have telegraphed condolences to Countess Von Waldersee.

Remarkable Operation.

Philadelphia, March 7.—Thomas Emerson, who was stabbed in the heart by his sweetheart, has been the subject of an unusual operation. His heart was lifted out of the body and six stitches were taken to close the big gash made by the woman's knife. The organ was replaced and Emerson is recovering.

First Degree Murder.

St. Louis, March 7.—After deliberating for almost three hours a jury in the case of "Lord" Frederick Seymour Barrington, tried for the murder of James P. McCann, a Lexington (Ky.) horseman, returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree. The penalty is death.

Lexington, Ky., March 7.—Representatives of the athletic association of the four leading Kentucky colleges met here and adopted a resolution barring the hiring of professionals in all forms of college athletics hereafter.

THE WAGE SCALE.

Miners and Operators Joint Conference Adjourned Without Reaching an Agreement.

NEGOTIATIONS MAY BE REOPENED.

A Special Committee Was Appointed by Miners' Organization to Again Consider the Situation.

It Will Report to the Workers in National Convention—There May Be a Referendum Vote on Operator's Compromise Offer.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 7.—The joint conference between the coal miners and operators of the central competitive district adjourned without reaching an agreement as to the scale of wages for the year commencing April 1. This is the second time there has been a failure to agree.

President Mitchell said Sunday night the situation between the miners and operators of the central competitive district had not changed since the adjournment of the joint conference Saturday night. "The special committee," said he, "which was appointed Saturday by the miners' organization to consider the situation met this morning and appointed a sub-committee to frame a formal statement of the position which the United Mine Workers will now take. This sub-committee is at work and will Monday morning report to the full committee, which will submit its report to the miners in national convention at 9 o'clock. It will then be for the convention to ratify or reject the report of the committee."

"Will it be possible to submit the final settlement of the question as to the acceptance of the operators' compromise proposition to a referendum vote of the locals in the district?" Mr. Mitchell was asked. "I don't know," replied Mr. Mitchell. "That will be determined later."

There was a conference Sunday between F. L. Robbins, leader of the operators, and President Mitchell. Neither would say what if anything was accomplished toward a reopening of negotiations. Later in the day President Mitchell and many other leaders of the miners were in secret consultation.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 7.—The Post Monday morning says: There was by no means a hopeless spirit shown among the returning coal operators from the Indianapolis convention with the miners which closed Saturday with a disagreement. From the best of authorities the Post was informed Saturday that the break in the negotiations between the two interests is not a permanent one and that by March 21 another meeting of the joint sub-committee will be held quietly. The whole matter will again be discussed among them and a solution to the present difficulty sought. It was further said that there was every reason for believing that the ultimate end of the whole matter would be the acceptance of the lower rate by the miners, or the 85-cent ton base for pick mining for the next two years. This agreement may not be reached by the end of the present month, but it would be soon after and in the meantime the suspension would be for a short time only, if at all.

CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA.

The Miners Will Insist on An Increase in Their Wages.

Altoona, Pa., March 7.—Sub-District No. 1, of District No. 2, United Mine Workers of the Central Pennsylvania bituminous field, has unanimously adopted a resolution insisting on the continuance of 66 cents a ton for pick mining, 59 cents a ton for machine mining, an increase of 40 per cent. over the old rate, and an increase for drivers and day laborers. The annual district convention will be held here next week. The delegates have been instructed to resist any reduction even to the point of striking. The Central Pennsylvania delegates led the fight for no reduction at the Indianapolis convention.

The Truck Drivers' Strike.

Kansas City, March 7.—There was no important developments in the truck drivers' strike Sunday. Each side is confident of ultimate victory, and neither gives evidence of weakening

EVENING BULLETIN.

DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY.
ROSSER & McCARTHY,
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MONDAY, MARCH 7 1904

THE WEATHER RECORD.

For the 24 hours ending at 6:30 a.m.	
State of weather.....	Cloudy
Highest temperature.....	62
Lowest temperature.....	45
Mean temperature.....	53.5
Wind direction.....	Southerly
Precipitation (inches) rain or snow.....	.62
Previously reported for March.....	.54
Total for March, to date.....	1.16
March 7th, 9:10 a.m.—Pair to-night and Tuesday preceded by rain to-night in extreme eastern portion.	

PERSONAL.

Mr. Charles Rudy has returned to his home at Detroit.

Miss Sudie Shephard left Sunday afternoon for Nicholasville.

Mr. Schultz Wood of Covington spent Sunday here with relatives.

Drs. R. E. and Lula C. Markham were in Angusta Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mattie Wadsworth is visiting Mrs. Graham Vreeland of Frankfort.

Mr. Malcolm Gallagher of Paris has been visiting in this city and county.

Miss Willa Watson was the guest of Mrs. J. H. Arthur of Millersburg last week.

Mr. John Hays, the Fourth street grocer, left Sunday afternoon on a business trip to Augusta.

Mrs. Lizzie Creighbaum, of Ripley, spent Sunday a guest of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sproemburg.

Miss Elizabeth Thompson, after a visit to Miss Natalie Cooper, has returned to her home at Sharpsburg.

Misses Catharine and Edna Dawson spent Saturday and Sunday with their father, Mr. Robert Dawson, at Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mackey of Covington, who were in Brooksville to attend the funeral of Mr. Patrick Cook Friday, returned home Sunday afternoon with friends.

Mrs. Emory Briles of West Third street and her daughter, Miss Jessie, and son, Gerald, will leave Thursday for Frankfort, Ind., to join her husband who is employed in that city. They carry with them the best wishes of a host of friends to their new home.

THE TOBACCO MARKET.

Review of Business on the Breaks at Cincinnati the Past Week.

The volume of transactions showed a very satisfactory increase, the offerings of new tobacco being about twice as large, while those of the old crop were nearly the same as last week.

Receipts were also about the same, and notwithstanding the dissatisfaction manifest among shippers at the prices obtained for new tobacco, the rejections showed a slight decrease, being about 16 per cent.

The market for new tobaccos throughout the week was something of a disappointment to shippers, especially for the medium and better grades. Owing to the rapid approach of the season when the new crop must be redried for keeping order, manufacturers are not loading up except for immediate wants, and the same course has a tendency to keep the speculative element out of the buying.

Almost reverse conditions prevailed in the market for old tobaccos, which have been strong and active throughout the week at well sustained figures. Color goods in almost all grades and the fine reds were the favorites with manufacturers, while there was a strong undercurrent for the inferior sorts, due to heavy purchases for the export trade.

A Protest Against Wanton Destruction of Birds.

Editors Bulletin: In your issue of Feb. 27th I find this item: "Col. John P. Wallace while out gunning on the river yesterday afternoon killed two large sea gulls." I want to register a vigorous protest against such wanton destruction of birds rare in this section. It does seem to me that the "Colonel" and others so fond of gaming should spare such interesting visitors from the sea, since their presence gives pleasure to a great many who never took an ocean voyage or ever visited the seashore. The most skillful taxidermist can never mount a bird and preserve it life-like and a dead bird is utterly valueless. If there are any gulls left on the Ohio, spare them. Respectfully,

L. C. DEMAREE.

Messrs. Charles Grimes and Wm. Shront of the county left last week for Anderson, Ind. Their friends wish them success in their new home.

Yes, We Have

A line of pretty Boots, bought to please ladies who care for appearance. Dressy indeed, and every feature strictly high grade. Of course there are others at varying prices, but we want you to see this especially nobby Spring line.

HAVE YOU

Guessed what the attendance will be at the St. Louis World's Fair July Fourth? Remember we offer a free trip for the closest estimate. The number of admissions to the Chicago Exposition on same date in 1893 were 283,273.

W. R. SMITH & CO.

NEW PACKET.

The Ben Hur Due Down To day in Parkersburg-Cincinnati Trade—River News.

A new packet line between Cincinnati and Pittsburg is an assured fact. A company has been organized at Parkersburg which will take over all the interests in the packets Ben Hur and Avalon. The Ben Hur will run between Parkersburg and Cincinnati.

The Ben Hur is due down to-day on her initial trip. She will operate out of Parkersburg one trip and out of Huntington the next. Captain L. D. Davis, of Ironton, will have charge of the boat, which is said to be one of the fastest on the river. She is owned by the Cramer Brothers of Parkersburg, and is practically new.

WOMEN THE BENEFICIARIES.

The Late Mrs. Lucy Gurney's Estate to Go to Female Relatives.

The will of Lucy Gurney was probated in the County Court in Newport Friday. She bequeaths to her niece, Josephine Williams, of Norwood, O., the sum of \$1,000, and to the latter's daughter, Lucy, \$100; to her niece, Mary E. Holt, of Birmingham, Ala., \$1,000, and to the latter's niece, Addie Gibson, of the same place, \$100; to Lucy Dawson, of Paris, Ky., \$1,000; to Susan Barnhard, of Cythiana, Ky., \$900, and to latter's sister, Annie McGrath, \$700; to Maggie Kennedy, of North Lewisburg, Champaign County, O., \$100; to Jennie Peckover, \$100; to Bessie Wells, of Mt. Olivet, O., \$100; to Nettie Hibbler, of Paris, Ky., \$100; to her niece, Pearl Hill, \$300 and all the residue of her personal property and household effects.

She names Marion P. Hill as her sole executor.

Slop for sale at Poyntz's distillery.

POYNTZ BROS. are the only Maysville distillers selling pure liquors by the quart, gallon or barrel, direct from distillery to consumer. Seven-year-old whisky \$2 per gallon. Age and quality guaranteed. Get the best. Office 126 Market street—Watson's old stand.

It is said the prospects are bright for one of the largest peach crops in South Georgia ever grown in that State. The cold weather which lasted until the beginning of spring prevented the trees budding, and it is hardly probable now that any late frosts will kill the young fruit.

Governor Beckham has signed the bill extending the common school term to six months, and the bill reapportioning the Sheriffs' revenue in order to meet the expenses entailed by the extension. He also signed the bills reapportioning the Appellate districts, appropriating \$75,000 for improvements at the Western Asylum for the Insane, and repealing certain portions of the exemption laws.

Ellen Hord Ziegler, only daughter of Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Ziegler, died Saturday at the home of the family in Wheeling, W. Va., of disease of the stomach, aged two years and five months. The remains will arrive here on the 1:30 train to-day, and be taken direct from the depot to the cemetery for interment. The many friends of the bereaved parents tender sincere sympathy. Mrs. Ziegler was formerly Miss Jennie Mayhugh, of Orangeburg.

To-night at the opera house Blondell & Fennessy's ever popular and laughable musical farce comedy, the "Katzenjammer Kids," will be the attraction. It is claimed by both press and public to be the "limit" as regards the purpose for which it was originally intended—noting but laughs from rise to fall of curtain on the last act, of which there are three. Special scenery, electrical and mechanical effects are in abundance; while new, bright and catchy musical numbers and up-to-date specialties, interpolated by comedians of artistic ability, has made this attraction what it is to-day—the most popular and successful farce-comedy extant. Secure seats now at Ray's.

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FRESH SEEDS

Waiting to Be Sown!

The new Spring line is here. We have always furnished the finest Seeds to be had and shall do the same this season. These Seeds were gathered from vigorous crops grown last year by the most reliable seedmen. They are clean, full of vitality and guaranteed true to name. No need of sending away or of going elsewhere to buy. No need of taking chances or of paying more than we ask. You are sure to get the best possible results if you sow our seeds. You are also sure of saving, either on the cost of the seeds or by securing more abundant crops.

Our Excellent Assortment of Both Flower and Garden Seeds Now Ready for Selection.

Thos. J. Chenoweth,

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It is here—just arrived fresh from the mines. Peacock and Williams, at same old price. Also handle BRICK, Sand, Lime and Salt. Agents for Alabaster Plaster &c &c &c

MAYSVILLE COAL CO.,

COOPER'S OLD STAND.

PHONE 142.

Administrator's Sale

As administrator of the estate of Mrs. Nannie M. Riley, deceased, I will sell at public auction, the following personally on

Tuesday, March 15, 1904,

at 1 o'clock p.m., at her late home near Clark's Station on L and N railroad and Strode's Run pipe, about 5 miles from Maysville, Ky.: Two work Mules, 1 family Mare, 4 milch Cows, two fresh; 3 two-year-old Steers, 3 two-year-old Heifers, 2 yearling Heifers, Hogs, Tobacco Setter, Carriage, Buggy, Driving Wagon, 2 sets of Harness, 2 sets of wagon Gear, Meat and Lard from seven farms; Farm Implements, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Drapes, extra good Range, some extra good Carpet, Poult, Potatoes, about 300 bushels of Corn in the crib and about 3,000 pounds of Tobacco, &c, &c.

TERMS OF SALE—On all amounts under \$10, cash; over \$10 will be given a credit of six months, note with approved security.

R. M. YANCEY, Administrator.

H. C. Hawkins, Auctioneer.

In Memoriam.

Lines written by Rev. J. W. Sanders, dedicated to his college mate and bosom friend, Rev. Robt. H. Tolle, pastor of St. Elmo Baptist Church, Chattanooga. In memory of his loving wife, whose noble Christian character and sweet disposition won the admiration and love of all who knew her:

Dear wife, good bye, death cannot keep us long apart.

The parting smile you left me, I treasure in my heart:

Oh, that smile, that blessed smile, the answer to my prayer.

The precious gift which Jesus gave, a gift so rich and rare.

Death struggled hard to win the fight, the battle was in vain.

God brought the victory to your soul, relieved you of the pain.

It grieved my heart to see you go, to say "They will be done."

To Him who made your work complete ere we thought it had begun.

I grieve for the promise which your life gave to me,

As we walked o'er the fields and across the open lea.

I long to hear thy voice again, so gentle and so clear.

Just as I heard it years ago, when the angels lingered near.

I dreamed of brilliant hopes and many happy years,

Life, the stream of flowing joy, but emptied of tears,

But, oh, so painful was death's cold and bitter hour.

I leaned on Thy arm and called on Thee for power,

That I might live with patience, unselfish here below,

Ready when His voice whispers you must go

To follow Him who doeth all things well,

The depth of whose love no tongue can tell.

Then you'll stand in Heaven, there you'll smile at me,

Till I enter in the beautiful golden gate;

Then we'll sing eternal praises in the happy land above,

To Him who taught us the first impulse of love.

The executor of John D. Elliott was Friday given judgment at Owensboro against the Provident Savings Life Assurance Society for \$50,000. The suit was brought for the collection of two policies of equal amounts which Elliott applied for shortly before his death eighteen months ago. The estate introduced evidence to the effect that the policies were approved by the company, and that after the death of Mr. Elliott, while the policies were still in the Louisville office, they condemned them.

As Well Out of the World

As Out of the Fashion!

After pursuing the policy of premium giving for several years we discarded it some time ago, but the custom has become so fixed in Maysville we find ourselves in odium for showing less generosity now than in the past, therefore a return to premium giving is announced to-day. Heretofore we have used a perforated ticket, but now we will issue

PREMIUM STAMPS

as a quicker and easier way to tally sales. We are in no way connected with any trading stamp concern. We supply our own books, stamps and premiums.

We only issue books for \$25, but we have premiums not alone for that amount, but for \$50, \$75 and \$100—the value of two, three and four books respectively. Small buyers who would be a long time filling several books are thus enabled to secure a handsome premium in a short time by filling one book, while others who shop for larger households can fill books rapidly and secure costlier premiums by having two, three or four redeemed.

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Friday we will give \$1 worth of stamps to any one who asks for them. The premiums are now on display. Ask to see them.

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Spring Trouser!

Display in west window. Prices plainly marked on each pair. Made by new system so won't sag at the knees quickly. Perfect fitting and wear well.

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A Good Farm!

COME AT ONCE if you want a farm of 125 acres in Ohio River bottoms. Has on it a good two-story frame metal roof dwelling of eight rooms, cellar, cistern at the door. Tobacco and stock barn 48x84, double corn crib holds 2,000 bushels of corn. All in good repair.

Water pipe conveying direct to stable. Good orchard of all kinds of fruit. One mile to school and one and half miles to church. A splendid neighborhood. Possession given this Spring.

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PHONE 333.

UNCLASSIFIED.

PUBLIC SALE—Tuesday, March 8th, beginning at 9 a.m. at my home on Strode's Run pipe, (at Dixie's Station), a lot of live stock and farming implements. Also some poultry and one organ, good as new. WM. RICE

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WE'RE THE ONLY DRY GOODS STORE GIVING

Globe Stamps!

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MEN'S \$2.50

ROYAL SHOES,

A Shoe that sells at a popular price and is made in Patent Colt, Vici Kid and Box Calf.

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FREE OF DEBT.

Sunday Was a Day of Rejoicing at the Christian Church—Cancelled Bonds Burned.

Sunday was one of the most joyful days in the history of the Christian Church of this city. For the first time since the present house of worship was erected in 1876 the congregation is entirely free of debt.

The committee appointed last November to solicit subscriptions to pay off the bonded indebtedness of \$2,500 made its report at the morning service Sunday. This report was made by Mr. Edward Myall, who announced that every bond had been cancelled. Mr. J. E. Parker, church Treasurer, reported that the current expenses had also all been paid and that the church did not owe a cent. Mr. J. T. Kackley read a list of those who had contributed to the fund for paying off the bonds. The canceled bonds were then turned over to Rev. A. McLean, President of the Foreign Christian Missionary Society, who with Mr. Parker consigned them to the flames. M. F. Marsh offered a resolution expressing the congregation's appreciation of the committee's zealous, enthusiastic and untiring efforts in bringing to such a successful close the work they had undertaken and extending their heartfelt thanks for their faithful and unselfish work. This was adopted by a rising vote, and "Praise God from whom all blessings flow" closed this part of the service.

Messrs. J. T. Kackley, Edward Myall, J. E. Parker, Dr. Smoot, Mrs. Lutie Cartmell and Mrs. J. C. Everett composed the committee in charge of the work.

President McLean followed with a powerful discourse on "The Grace of Giving." He spoke also at the night service, giving a highly interesting discourse on his thirteen months missionary tour around the world.

The annual offering for foreign missions was taken Sunday. There was an increase of about 25 per cent. over last year's offering.

A member of Mr. R. H. Williams' family, living south of the city, churned a gallon of cream one day last week that yielded four and a quarter pounds of butter.

Pan "kake" flour and syrup—Calhoun's.

MURRAY & THOMAS.

Their Establishment Has Been Enlarged to Better Accommodate Their Business in Monuments.

The firm of Murray & Thomas has just completed an addition to their establishment on West Second street in order to better accommodate their business in monuments and other cemetery work. The capacity of their show room has been doubled, a cosy office fitted up, and a work room added in the rear.

This firm carries the largest stock of granite and marble designs ever shown in Maysville, embracing the best to be had from the quarries of Sweden, Scotland, Italy, also the best American stock. They guarantee their work and their stock. In recent years they have erected the largest and handsomest monuments in the Maysville Cemetery, the handsomest being those for Col. W. W. Baldwin, the late O. H. P. Thomas and M. C. Russell and for the Joerger family.

Their line of stock and designs is complete, and they also import all kinds of parlor and cemetery statuary, direct from the makers in Italy.

Beginning to-day, Mr. J. M. Teager will represent this firm on the road.

Messrs. Murray and Thomas are both experienced workmen and devote their time and attention to every detail of their business.

MR. S. A. CLIFT.

An Old Resident of the County Died Sunday and Will be Buried Tuesday at Mayslick.

Mr. Silas A. Clift, who was sent to the Lexington asylum a few days ago, died Sunday. Saturday while in the hall at the asylum he was pushed over by another inmate, the fall breaking one of his hips, his injuries hastening his death.

Mr. Clift was about eighty-two years old. He was born near Maylack, and spent his life in that vicinity. A large family survives him and he leaves two half-sisters and one half-brother.

The remains will be brought from Lexington to-day, and buried at Mayslick Tuesday at 1:30 p. m.

Death of Mr. George Shipley.

Mr. George Shipley died Sunday at 4 a. m. at his home on Third street, Sixth ward, of pneumonia. He was fifty-five years old and leaves one daughter and one son.

Mr. Shipley formerly lived near Orangeburg, and the remains will be buried at Stone Lick, the funeral taking place Tuesday at 10 a. m. under auspices of the Red Men.

Mrs. Robert Dawson is ill with rheumatism.

Master John Maglone is convalescent after an illness of several weeks.

The Haymakers meet at 7 o'clock this evening at loft in the Wilson Building.

The assignee's sale of the Barkley Shoe Company's stock continues. Better take advantage of the bargains still to be had.

D. Hechinger & Co.

"The world's best in Clothing, and prices that all can pay." This is an inducement for you to trade with us. We bring the newest, smartest and most servicable garments within every man's reach. If you have never worn a Stein-Bloch, Adler Bros. or Garson Meyer's make suit, we want to show you the new models from these celebrated houses. We want you to try on one of their garments and notice how accurate they fit, how stylish they are cut, and then at a price no more than you would pay for ordinary made clothing.

Our Spring Stock is Now Daily Arriving

and as soon as you are interested, come in and let us show you the greatest line of clothing that we have ever had in our store.

The time for discarding your almost worn out winter SHOES is rapidly approaching. All of our new Spring styles are in. If you care about knowing what kind of footwear will be worn this Spring, look in our show window. Hanan and Douglass are our leaders. They are the two greatest lines of shoes made in this country. By the way, look at our new tans. They will be all the rage this coming season.

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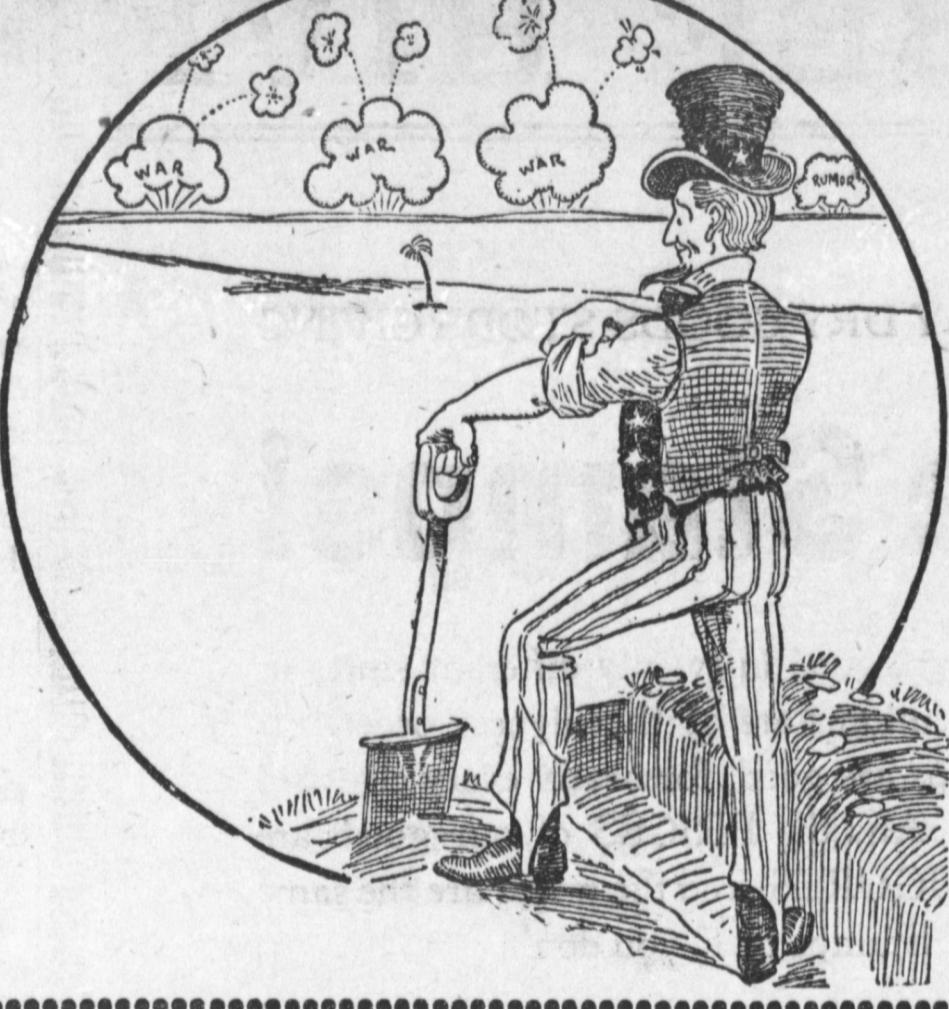
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A big line to select from and the sales so far in this department have been more than satisfactory. We sell these goods at last year's prices, no advance. Carpets range in price 10c, 12½c, 19c, 25c up to 50c. An all wool carpet only 50c per yard; just think of it.

HAYS & CO.

SPECIAL—New Shoes are in; come and get a pair. Two leaders, 95c and \$1.49.

UNCLESAM

Will keep out of trouble by minding his own business and turning over the sod that will grow big crops to feed the warring nations when peace comes. The American farmer is in the trenches preparing for a vigorous agricultural campaign. Anticipating lively Spring maneuvers we have thrown up magnificent breastworks of 

Farm and Garden Tools,

such as Plows, Hoes, Rakes, Shovels, Mattocks, Spades, and announce ready for the business onslaught. Ports still open for the removal of Field Fence, Poultry Netting, Trace Chains, Hames and Collar Pads. Bring us your trade and "sympathy." We pose as the under dog in this fight 

FRANK OWENS HARDWARE COMP'Y.

HIS ERRING BOY.

Too Late Came the Father's Offer to Help Him.

Omaha, Neb., March 7.—District Clerk Broadwell, of Omaha, has received a letter from P. Johnson, of Henderson, Ky., making inquiry for his son, Fred Johnson, who, the writer had been informed, had been arrested and was confined in the county jail here. "He is my only boy," writes Johnson, "and I would like to know what crime he is charged with so I may help him to get out of jail." Mr. Broadwell was compelled to write Mr. Johnson that his son was sentenced to four and a half years in the penitentiary last week for committing a burglary in South Omaha.

DIED ON A TRAIN.

Charles Washington Foltz, of Michigan, Expires Near Somerset, Ky.

Cincinnati, March 7.—Charles Washington Foltz, of St. Joseph, Mich., died in his Pullman berth near Somerset, Ky., on the Queen & Crescent limited, Sunday. When the train arrived here Sunday night the coroner met Mrs. Foltz at the depot and arranged for her to proceed with the remains to Michigan. Foltz had gone south for his health and on being advised that

he could not recover, wanted to get home before he died.

SEVEN-DAY ADVENTISTS.

The Southwestern Division Begins a Week's Session at Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., March 7.—Seven-Day Adventists of the southwest division of the general conference of that denomination began a week's session Sunday night.

Elder A. G. Daniels, of Washington, D. C., president of the general conference, preached the opening sermon. He declared that the present war would involve all the great powers of the world and that it was the beginning of a strife that would disrupt the world.

A Sir Thomas Lipton Cup.

New York, March 7.—Sir Thomas Lipton has notified Thomas Fleming Day, editor of the Rudder, that he will present, through the Manhasset Bay Yacht club, a cup to be sailed for by small yachts over a 300-mile course, which Mr. Day is getting up.

Cement Workers to Strike.

Chicago, March 7.—The Cement Finishers and Helpers' union will go on strike Monday to enforce its demands for higher wages. The walkout will tie up extensive sidewalks improvements that have been planned.

Governor of Jerusalem and Palestine.

St. Louis, March 7.—It is stated by Alexander Konta, son-in-law of the recently deceased millionaire, William J. Lemp, who has just returned from Jerusalem, that Keazim Bey, governor of Jerusalem and Palestine, has promised to come to the World's fair.

Upholds Russia in the War.

St. Louis, March 7.—The Irish Nationalists, of St. Louis at their celebration of the birth of Robert Emmet, adopted resolutions upholding Russia in her war with Japan and expressing sympathy with Christian Russia against this "pagan horde."

Prominent Presbyterian Divine Dead.

Philadelphia, March 7.—Rev. Willard M. Rice, D.D., a well-known Presbyterian divine, died Sunday at the home of his son-in-law, J. Marshall Buddy, at Haverford, a suburb. He was 87 years of age. He was the author of many works.

Dynamiting the Heavy Ice.

Washington, March 7.—Dynamite was successfully employed Sunday in breaking up the heavy compact ice in the Potomac river above the Three Sisters, several miles from the city. The work will be continued for several days.

Guthrie, Okla., March 7.—It is reported here that the Negroes and whites at Bokoshe, I. T., engaged in another fight Saturday night. The Negroes were driven out of town and about 20 shots were fired.

Soldiers and Indians Fighting Fire.

Lawton, Okla., March 7.—The fire which broke out in the military reservation north of Fort Sill Saturday night was still burning Sunday night. The soldiers and Indians have been busy all day fighting it.

Big Fire in Oswego, N. Y.

Oswego, N. Y., March 7.—The general officers' building of the New York Central railroad, American Express Co.'s office, four stores and a hotel were destroyed by fire Sunday.

Pioneer Packer Dead.

Kansas City, March 7.—William Epperson, a prominent live stock dealer of this city, died Sunday night, aged 71 years. He was the pioneer packer of this city, having built a packing plant here in 1868.

Three Sons Burned to Death.

Buctouche, N. B., March 7.—Three sons of Mrs. Louis Savoie, a widow, were burned to death, and a fourth probably fatally injured in a fire that destroyed their home at Black river during the night.

THE MARKETS.

Flour and Grain.

Cincinnati, March 5.—Flour—Winter patent, \$5.10@5.30; fancy, \$4.75@4.90; family, \$4.10@4.35; extra, \$3.45@3.75; low grade, \$3@3.30; spring patent, \$5.30@5.65; fancy, \$4.60@4.90; family, \$4.20@4.50; Northwestern rye, \$3.80@4.

Wheat—No. 2 red quotable at \$1.03@1.04 on track. Corn—Sales: No. 3 mixed, track, 46c; mixed ear, track, 49c; rejected white, track, 43c; rejected mixed, track, 42c; No. 3 white (to arrive), 47c. Oats—Sales: No. 2 mixed, track, 44c; rejected mixed, track, 42c.

Chicago, March 5.—Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1@1.04; No. 3 do, 98c@\$1.02; No. 2 hard, 91@95c; No. 3 do, 80@92c; No. 1 Northern, 96@99c; No. 2 do, 98@92c; No. 3 spring, 85@97c. Corn—No. 3, 42@43c; No. 4, 38@41c. Oats—No. 2, 39@39½c; No. 3, 38½c.

Live Stock.

Cincinnati, March 5.—Cattle—Heavy steers, choice to extra, \$4.50@5; fair to good, \$3.90@4.40; butcher steers, extra, \$4.60@4.65; good to choice, \$4@4.50; heifers, extra, \$4.15@4.25; good to choice, \$3.65@4.10; cows, extra, \$3.65@3.85; good to choice, \$2.85@3.60.

Calves—Fair to good light, \$5@6; extra, \$6.25. Hogs—Good packers, \$5.60@5.65; mixed packers, \$5.40@5.60; light shippers, \$4.60@5.25; pigs, 110 lbs and less, \$4.10@4.50. Sheep—Extra, \$4.25; good to choice, \$3.65@4.15.

Lambs—Extra, \$5.85;

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